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For: CONTROLLED ALIGNMENT OF

NANOBARCODES ENCODING SPECIFIC INFORMATION FOR SCANNING PROBE

MICROSCOPY (SPM) READING

## RESPONSE TO REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance, dated September 8, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit for the record that the changes made in the "Amendment After Allowance under 37 C.F.R. 1.312" filed on May 13, 2008 and the "Supplemental Amendment After Allowance under 37 C.F.R. 1.312" filed on May 14, 2008 have been incorporated by the Examiner via Examiner's Amendment attached to the Notice of Allowability.

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